

**WISCONSIN - DISTRICT 8****Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

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	SMALLEST	LARGEST	MEDIAN OF COUNTIES
<b>Farms</b>			
Number	86	551	703
Acreage	19,371	131,641	137,610
Average size (acres)	225	239	204
Median size (acres)	160	163	147
<b>Estimated market value average per farm</b>			
Land/buildings (dollars)	151,578	216,973	259,422
Machinery/equip (dollars)	43,503	47,592	67,861
<b>Cropland (acres)</b>			
Total	11,080	82,958	122,247
Harvested	7,913	69,049	111,518
Irrigated	1,738	1,738	439
<b>Agricultural products sold - market value</b>			
(\$1,000)	1,850	39,586	58,767
(dollars avg. per farm)	21,513	71,845	98,094
<b>Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm</b>			
<b>(dollars average)</b>	692	18,040	25,061
<b>Livestock inventory (number)</b>			
Cattle and calves	1,883	32,145	50,497
Beef cows	423	1,318	1,176
Milk cows	562	10,795	20,850
Hogs and pigs	17	1,454	1,454
Sheep and lambs	257	257	319
Layers 13 wks or/older	187	1,133	769
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	375	296
<b>Harvested commodities (acres)</b>			
Corn, grain or seed	17,066	17,066	24,839
Corn, silage or green chop	577	9,406	10,946
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	0
Wheat	N	N	0
Barley	N	N	0
Oats	113	2,310	4,567
Rice	N	N	0

Sunflower seed	N	N	0
Cotton	N	N	0
Tobacco	N	N	0
Soybeans	0	907	3,720
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	0
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	D	D	14
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	0
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	0
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	0
Hay-alfalfa	6,730	37,188	48,634

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<b>Vegetables</b>			
Number of farms	3	35	38
Acreage	17	2,535	2,535
<b>Orchards</b>			
Number of farms	N	N	0
Acreage	N	N	0

### Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture